

A Brisk Midsummer Clearance Sale!

For the next week our Regular Midsummer Clearance Sale will be on in dead earnest.

Tooth Brushes,
Powders and Pastes,
Toilet Soaps,
Talcum Powders,
Perfumes,
Combs and Brushes,
RUBBER GOODS of all kinds, including Fountain Syringes, etc., all greatly reduced in price.

Now is the time to save money and at the same time secure the needful articles of known quality.

Do Not Neglect Your Eyes Longer

Now We Sell You \$3.50 and \$5.00 Gold-Filled, Expertly Fitted Spectacles and Eyeglasses

ONLY \$1.00

FOR TEN DAYS ONLY

This unparalleled and unapproachable offer will be offered the people of Richmond and surrounding country who need Glasses.

The famous Clera Lens have never before been sold for less than \$3.50 to \$5.00.

But it is our aim and desire, to give every eye-sufferer a chance, and have cut these far below actual cost for a few days only!

GOLD-FILLED, NOT PLATED

And get this fact firmly fixed in your mind: These are Gold-Filled, not plated frames.

They are standard, even as Tiffany & Co.'s goods are standard, or Roger Bros.' silver, or Howard or Elgin watches.

A GRADUATE EXPERT OPTICIAN

Examines and fits you without a cent of extra cost. Come and let him examine you. Get the Glasses you need while you can!

TARRANT, GRANT & CO., 1 W. Broad Street, Cor. Foushee

Also GRANT'S DRUG STORE, 1201 E. Main Street.



YOUR SIGHT IS SACRED

To you. Your eyes cannot be trifled with. To delay getting Glasses when you need them is to feel your sight fade away; to have your head racked with pain—your disposition spoiled.

MAYBE OTHERS HAVE FAILED

Maybe you have failed to get the right Glasses—maybe you have been disappointed—then NOW is your chance to be fitted and pleased.

YOUR MONEY BACK

We guarantee our Glasses—give you an iron-clad guarantee—and should it be possible, that you could not be fully pleased, then we will cheerfully refund your money.

Lenses exchanged free of charge.

All Higher Priced Glasses are Cut in Price Equally as Much.

All Cigars Greatly Reduced in Price!

Your favorite brand is here at a sharp cut in price, thus offering you the opportunity to get about twice as many for your money as at other times.

Let us have your orders.

Proprietary Medicines Reduced

Of all kinds.

Soda Water, Mineral Waters, Ice Cream

And all Fountain Drinks are pure and good.

FAVORS REUNION OF BLUE AND GRAY

Governor Mann Will Probably Attend Big Meeting at Atlantic City.

RIFLE TEAM IS NOW READY

Transportation Issued to Candidates—Organizing Parole System.

Provided a sufficient number of Confederate veterans can be secured to attend, Governor Mann will give his approval to the projected reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Atlantic City on September 18. In any case, it is probable that the Governor will attend.

On the date indicated, the Philadelphia Brigade Association, composed of the survivors of the Sixty-ninth, Seventy-first, Seventy-second and One Hundred and Sixty Regiments of Pennsylvania Volunteers, will meet in the auditorium of the Steeplechase Pier, at Atlantic City. Tired by the successful visit of A. P. Hill Camp, of Petersburg, at Springfield, Mass., recently, it is planned to extend an invitation to R. E. Lee and George E. Pickett Camps of Veterans of this city, with any survivors of Pickett's Division from elsewhere who may desire to attend, to

meet with the Philadelphia Brigade. Plans are being made by John W. Frazier, adjutant of the brigade of Philadelphia veterans.

"Twenty-two years ago," writes Colonel Frazier, "as the files of The Richmond Dispatch on the morning of July 3, 1887, will show, a far greater event took place than the recent Springfield incident. Three hundred of the survivors of Pickett's Division clasped hands in fraternity with the same number from our brigade at Gettysburg, and were our guests for three days."

The fear expressed by Governor Mann is that the time is too short to permit the gathering together for the trip of a sufficient number of Confederate Veterans to make the occasion interesting. He hopes that such a movement will be successful, and, as indicated above, will probably attend in person.

Colonel Frazier, noting an announcement on the Philadelphia Bulletin boards, that the Governor of Kentucky and his staff will head a delegation of Grand Army Veterans to the encampment at Atlantic City, hopes that there will soon be an announcement of this kind. "The Governor of Virginia and his staff will head a united delegation of Grand Army and United Confederate Veterans, to attend the reunion of the Blue and the Gray, the North and the South, at Atlantic City, to be held under the auspices of the Philadelphia Brigade and Pickett's Division."

READY FOR RIFLE SHOOT

Trip to Camp Perry Will Be Made by Marksmen Next Friday.

Completing arrangements for the trip of the rifle team to Camp Perry, transportation orders have been issued to the candidates. All expenses will be paid by the War Department, a sum of money being appropriated to each State for this purpose.

The Richmond, Petersburg and Norfolk candidates for places on the team

will leave Byrd Street Station next Friday at noon. The entire force, under command of Major Stanley W. Martin, of Lynchburg, will mobilize in Washington, whence the journey to Camp Perry will be made.

The try-out will last perhaps two weeks, the successful men remaining at camp and the others returning to their home stations.

MAKING PAROLE SYSTEM

Officer Will Keep in Touch With All Released Prisoners.

Rev. J. T. Mastin, secretary of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, has his hands full endeavoring, with all his other work, to systematize the parole work of the State Penitentiary and the two reform schools. The two latter were already in fair shape, but the task of getting in touch with the paroled men from the State prison has proven immense. An assistant has been secured for the vacation months to do the preliminary work.

It is required, before the Penitentiary Board issues paroles to men with good prison records, who have served half their terms, that they secure employment. This requirement has been complied with, but generally, when the man has left the prison, nothing more is heard. The defects of the system, or rather lack of system, lay in the want of a parole officer. The last Legislature gave this work to the State Board of Charities.

Every man released on parole will be kept in touch with. He will be protected from the rapacity of employers where this is practiced. He must make regular reports. If he gets into more trouble he will be brought back to serve the remainder of his sentence. Only a few days ago Secretary Mastin accidentally found in a police court a man who had been released on parole.

Private Discharged.

An order was issued yesterday by

Adjutant General Sale discharging Private Robert M. Smeaton, of Company C, Richmond Light Infantry Blues, from the military service of the State, for the good of the service.

Will Not Call Election.

Governor Mann said yesterday that it was not his purpose to issue writs for the election of a member of the State Senate to succeed Senator John J. Owen, whose resignation was sent to him on Friday. The Executive said that there will be no regular sessions of the Legislature prior to the next general election for a General Assembly, and he has no intention whatever of calling an extra session.

Mr. Saunders Better.

State Dairy and Food Commissioner W. D. Saunders, who was severely injured about ten days ago, continues to improve. He is still confined to his home in Franklin county.

VALENTINE CASE CONTINUED

Miss Florence Kellum Unable to Appear Against Eugenie Driver.

Miss Florence Kellum, who was knocked down by a fire horse at Third and Broad Streets last Tuesday, was unable to appear in Police Court yesterday morning when the case against J. P. Valentine, a driver of Engine Company No. 4, was called. Valentine was arrested by Captain McMahon on a charge of recklessness, but the accident is said to have been unavoidable. Valentine stated that he shouted a warning to the young woman, but that she failed to hear him.

CHARTERS ISSUED

The following charters were issued yesterday by the State Corporation Commission: Virginia Taxi Service Company (Inc.), Richmond, Incorporated: J. A. White, president; J. W. Traver, vice-president; Walter Holladay, secretary and treasurer—all of Richmond. Capital: Maximum, \$100,000; minimum, \$5,000. Object: Taxicab transfer business. The Farmers' Savings Bank (Inc.), Moneta, Va., Incorporated: E. T. Yeaman, president, Altavista, Va.; W. Frank Bowman, vice-president, Altavista, Va.; W. H. Meadows, secretary and cashier, Moneta, Va. Capital: Maximum, \$50,000; minimum, \$10,000. Object: Banking business.

Mr. Burnett Improving. Edward B. Burnett, of 66 North Twenty-fourth Street, who fell some days ago while at work, breaking his leg and sustaining other injuries, is doing very well at his home under the care of his physician, Dr. George Gay, Jr.

Illiet Still Raided. Revenue officers yesterday reported to the State Police that they had captured part of a still outfit and twelve barrels of meal, near Staley, Randolph county. The still had been removed. No arrests were made.

Qualifies as Guardian. Hunter McGuire, Duval yesterday qualified in the Chancery Court as guardian of William Waller Duval.

Young Men's Meeting. The discussion of Dr. James I. Vance's new book, "Tendency," will be continued at the men's meeting at the Central Y. M. C. A. this afternoon. The speakers will be G. Edmond Massie and Percy Scott Eliphan; the subjects, "The Success of Failure" and "A Face Towards the Morning." — men are welcome.

Goes to Industrial School. In the Police Court yesterday morning Elizabeth H. Smith, seventeen years old, daughter of F. E. Smith, a street car motor-man, was turned over to the care of Secretary Buchanan, who will place her in the Virginia Home and Industrial School for Girls near Bon Air. The girl did not appear to be incorrigible, and domestic uncleanliness is said to be the cause of her predicament.

All Delinquents Paid Licenses. It was said yesterday at the office of Internal Revenue Collector M. K. Lowry that all of the distilleries, saloons, and receiving plants, manufacturers of oleomargarine and others liable for special license tax have paid up. Yesterday was the last day for payment of this tax before delinquents would be fined 50 per cent. of the tax.

CASES APPEALED TO SUPREME COURT

Suits Involve Title to Pieces of Land in Norfolk and Alexandria.

One writ of error and one appeal were allowed yesterday by the Supreme Court. The records in both instances are fairly large, but are devoid of features likely to attract public interest.

Anna T. Marbury and Eliza H. Mar-

bury are granted a writ of error in their suit against Bessie W. Jones and James E. Johnston, from the Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria. The litigation involves the title to a lot in Alexandria, on which bank buildings were erected a good many years ago. The papers hark away back to 1800, and even earlier, when streets were laid out in the ancient town.

B. F. Batchelder, executor of B. M. Batchelder, deceased, claims to be aggrieved by a decree rendered by the Circuit Court of Norfolk county in a case entered against him by Erdella F. Randolph. The latter sued to have annulled and set aside a deed to the late B. M. Batchelder, carrying title to three tracts of land in Norfolk county.

It is claimed that Mrs. Randolph and her late husband owned the property, and that it was about to be sold for delinquent taxes. Mr. Batchelder was a trustee in a trust deed given on one of the pieces of property. A deed was

made to him, the consideration being less than the assessed valuation. Evidence appraising the real value of the land differs widely. The plaintiff in error gets an appeal and his case goes on the docket.

IN PRECARIOUS CONDITION

Mrs. Frank Donald Unable to Appear Against Thomas Lightfoot.

Mrs. Frank Donald, of Third and Baker Streets, was unable to appear in Police Court yesterday morning to testify against Thomas Lightfoot, who is charged with having assaulted her last Monday night, and the case was continued to next Saturday morning, when a definite date for the preliminary hearing will be set.

Mrs. Donald's skull is said to have been fractured by the blow, and she is now in a precarious condition. An operation has recently been performed to remove pieces of splintered bone.

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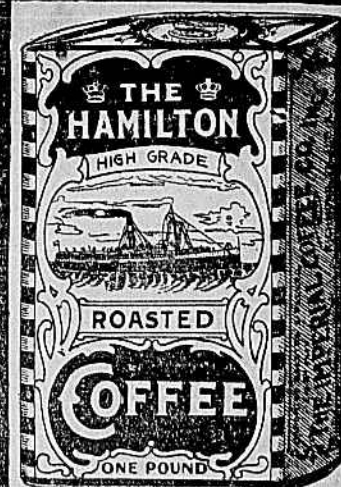
In One Pound Bags

Two (2) Cents Cash

For Each Bag Returned

The Best Coffee Sold for the Price

For Sale By All Grocers



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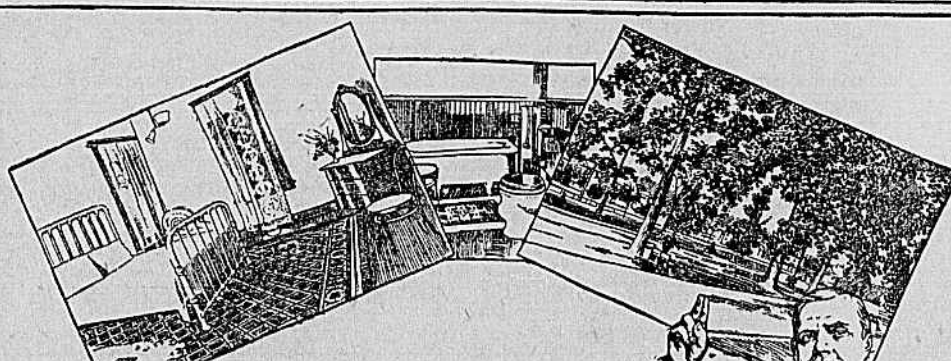
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